

HOMELESS SERVICE PROVIDERS DIRECTORY

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LISTING OF AVAILABLE SERVICES

HOMELESS PREVENTION

Food Pantries

Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc. (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Body of Christ Deliverance Ministry, Inc.
Bridge Ministries, Inc. (one time food assistance)
Catholic Center of Concern
Christian Service Mission
Collat Jewish Family Services (serving Jewish community)
Foundry Rescue Mission and Recovery Center
Eastern Area Christian Ministries
Grace Episcopal Church (Tuesday 9 am – noon)
Greater Birmingham Ministries
Helpline Christian Outreach Ministries, Inc. (food co-op program)
Independent Presbyterian Church
Interfaith Hospitality House (food boxes for families with minor children)
Metro West Ministries
Project Success Ministries
Salvation Army – Birmingham
Salvation Army – Shelby County
Southside Baptist Church (residents of 35205 zip code area)
Urban Ministries

Financial Assistance and Counseling

AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
American Red Cross – Project SHARE
Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc. (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Bridge Ministries (one time assistance with utility and rent bills)
Catholic Center of Concern
Collat Jewish Family Services (Jewish community)
Gateway (debt counseling and consolidation)
Grace Episcopal Church
Greater Birmingham Ministries
Helpline Christian Outreach Ministries, Inc. (assistance once a year with utility and rent bills)
Independent Presbyterian Church (utility bills and medical prescriptions)
Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity – JCCEO (credit counseling, utility bill assistance)
Jefferson County Department of Human Resources (financial assistance and food stamps)
Metro West Ministries (financial assistance and education for western Birmingham metro area residents)
New Covenant Bible Church (financial counseling)
Project Success Ministries (rent, utility bills, and prescription medication assistance)
Salvation Army – Birmingham
Salvation Army – Shelby County (rent and overdue utility bills, prescription medications)
Urban Ministry, Inc. (rent, utility bills, and prescription medications)

HOMELESS PROGRAMS

STREET OUTREACH

AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Birmingham Health Care
Firehouse Shelter (STOP)
Hope House (ages 21 and under)
Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority

HOUSING & SHELTER

Emergency Assistance

Domestic Violence Shelters

Hannah Bethany Home
Safe House of Shelby County, Inc.
Salvation Army – Birmingham
YWCA Family Violence Center

Day Shelters

Church of the Reconciler (men)
Firehouse Shelter (men)
Hope House (21 and under)
Pathways (women, women and children)

Emergency and Intermediate Shelters

Birmingham Hospitality Network (families with children)
Brother Bryan Mission (men)
Christian Service Mission (women)
Firehouse Shelter (men)
First Light, Inc. (women, women with children)
Grace House Ministries (girls 6-16 years old)
Hannah Bethany Home (women)
Hannah Homes (women with children)
Interfaith Hospitality House (families with children)
Jimmie Hale Mission – Jessie's Place (women, women with children)
Jimmie Hale Mission – Brother Leo's Men's Center (men)
Mary's House (families with children)
Pathways (women, women with children)
Salvation Army – Birmingham (men, women, women with children)

Transitional Housing

Recovery Houses

Alpha Recovery House
Foundry Rescue Mission and Recovery Center
John Jr.'s Serenity House
Neighborhood House
Steps and Traditions (men)

Transitional Shelters

AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Alabama Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministries (women with children)
Birmingham Health Care
Children's Aid Society (teen parents and parents-to-be)
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Homeless Veterans Program (veterans and their families)
Firehouse Shelter (men)
Interfaith Hospitality House (families with children)
Jimmie Hale Mission – Jessie's Place (women)
Neighborhood House
Pathways (women, women with children)
Salvation Army – Birmingham (families)
YWCA Transitional Housing (women, women with children)

Permanent Housing

Housing Assistance

AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Alabama Head Injury Foundation (brain and spinal cord injured persons)
Bessemer Housing Authority
Birmingham Building Trade Towers
Birmingham Housing Authority (Housing Authority Birmingham District or HABD)
Birmingham Independent Living Center (housing referral for the disabled)
Birmingham Towers
Birmingham Urban League, Inc. (housing counseling)
Episcopal Place
Fairfield Alabama Housing Authority
Habitat for Humanity of Greater Birmingham
Jefferson County Housing Authority
New Pilgrim Towers
Outreach Incorporated
Presbyterian Manor
Princeton Towers
Tarrant Housing Authority
Titusville Development Corporation

Permanent Housing with Supportive Services

AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
ARC of Jefferson County – Residential Program (adults with mental retardation)
Firehouse Shelter
First Light, Inc. (women with disabilities or mentally ill)
Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority (mentally ill or retarded adults)
Jefferson County Housing Authority – Shelter Plus Program (mentally ill, substance abuse, HIV+/AIDS)
Pathways (women, women with children)
St. Andrew's Place (intermediate supportive care for mentally handicapped adults)

Shelters for Children and Youth

Beacon House
Big Oak Ranch Boys Facility
Big Oak Ranch Girls Facility
Children's Village (ages 6-12 years)
Freedom Ranch (ages 6-18 years)
Gateway (therapeutic foster care and transitional living program)
Grace House Ministries (girls 6-16 years old)
Hope House

King's Ranch (ages 10-16 years)
Salvation Army Youth Emergency Services (ages 12-21 years)
United Methodist Children's Home

TREATMENT PROGRAMS

Residential and Day Treatment Programs (Drugs or Alcohol)

Alethia House (men, women, and women with children)
Birmingham Health Care (day treatment program, includes lunch)
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Homeless Veterans Program (veterans and their families)
Emani New Life Recovery Program
Fellowship House
Homeless Veteran's Program, Veteran's Administration
Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity – JCCEO
Jimmie Hale Mission – Brother Leo's Men's Center (day treatment – men)
Jimmie Hale Mission – Royal Pines (residential treatment – men)
Oakmont Center for Human Services (outpatient treatment and prevention)
Olivia's House (women with children)
Pearson Hall
St. Anne's Home, Inc. (women ages 19 years and older)
Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center (male ages 21 years and older)
UAB Substance Abuse Program (outpatient treatment for substance abuse)

Support Groups

Al-Anon and Al-Ateen (for family and friends of alcoholics)
Alcoholics Anonymous
Gambler's Anonymous
Narcotics Anonymous

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES FOR HOMELESS

Soup Kitchens

Baptist Church of the Covenant (sack lunch on Sunday)
Cathedral Church of the Advent (sack lunch on Tuesday)
Church of the Reconciler (breakfast and light snacks Tuesday–Thursday, lunch on Sunday)
Community Kitchens of Birmingham – Grace Episcopal Church (lunch 7 days a week)
Community Kitchens of Birmingham – St. Andrews Episcopal Church (lunch 7 days a week)
Firehouse Shelter (lunch 7 days a week)
Highland United Methodist Church (breakfast Monday–Saturday)
Jimmie Hale Mission – Brother Leo's Men's Center (dinner 7 days a week)
Salvation Army – Birmingham (lunch Monday–Friday)
Urban Ministry, Inc. (lunch Monday–Thursday)

Clothes Closet

Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc. (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Body of Christ Deliverance Ministry, Inc.
Bridge Ministries, Inc. (one time assistance)
Catholic Center of Concern
Church of the Reconciler (men)
Firehouse Shelter
Greater Birmingham Ministries
Highland United Methodist Church
Hope House (ages 21 and under)

Independent Presbyterian Church
Jimmie Hale Mission – Brother Leo’s Men’s Center (men)
Salvation Army – Birmingham
Salvation Army – Shelby County
Southside Baptist Church (residents of 35205 zip code area)
YWCA – My Sister’s Closet (women)

Medical & Mental Health Services

1920 Club (day center for persons recovering from mental illness)
Adolescent Health Center (children)
AIDS Alabama (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Alabama Child Caring Foundation (children ages 18 and under)
Alabama Head Injury Foundation (brain and spinal cord injured persons)
Alabama Lion’s Sight Conservation Association (eye care and exams)
Amelia Center (counseling, bereavement, stress management)
American Cancer Society (financial assistance for medication and supplies for homeless cancer patients)
Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc. (counseling and support groups for HIV+/AIDS persons)
Birmingham Health Care (general medical care, mental health services)
Birmingham Health Care – Northside Dental Clinic (dental services)
Cahaba Valley Health Care (Hispanic community in Jefferson and Shelby Counties)
Cancer Answers (toll-free information service)
Catholic Family Services (counseling, adoption services)
Children’s Aid Society (counseling, adoption services)
Children’s Harbor, The Family Center at Children’s Hospital (counseling for chronically ill children)
Children’s Hospital – Intervention and Prevention Services
Cooper Green Hospital (general and hospital care for residents of Jefferson County)
Crisis Center (crisis counseling hotline)
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Homeless Veterans Program (veterans and their families)
Eastside Medical Health Center (psychiatric care for adults and children)
Family Guidance Center (family advocacy, individual and family counseling)
Gateway (family counseling and support groups, therapeutic care for children with emotional problems)
Glenwood Mental Health Service, Inc. (adults and children with emotional disturbances)
Grace Episcopal Church (counseling)
Grief and Loss Support Services (bereavement counseling)
Independent Presbyterian Church (assistance paying for medical prescriptions)
Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority (mentally ill or retarded persons)
Jefferson County Department of Health (general health services)
M-Power Medical Clinic
Mental Health Association of Central Alabama (mentally ill persons)
Oasis: A Women’s Counseling Center (counseling for women, couples, and families)
Planned Parenthood
Project Success Ministries (assistance paying for medical prescriptions)
Sickle Cell Disease Association of America – Central Alabama Chapter
Sonrise Health Ministries (low income seniors or the disabled)
Southeastern Blind Rehabilitation Center – VA Hospital (rehabilitation for blinded veterans)
UAB Comprehensive Community Mental Health Center
UAB Healthfinder (toll free physician referral)
Urban Ministry, Inc. (assistance paying for medical prescriptions)
Western Mental Health Center

Education, Job Training, Job Placement

Adult Education Program
Alabama Employment Security Office
Alabama Goodwill Industries, Inc. (disabled and disadvantaged, ages 16 years and over)
Alabama State Vocational Rehabilitation Service
Birmingham Urban League, Inc. (computer and office skills, adult literacy, GED tutoring)

Futures, Inc. (ages 16-23, GED, job training)
Hope House (GED tutoring and job training, ages 21 years and under)
Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity – JCCEO
Jimmie Hale Mission – Stewart Learning Center
Jobs Corps/DESI (ages 16-24 years, GED and job skill training and placement)
Mental Health Association of Central Alabama (GED, job training, life skills education for mentally ill)
Pathways (women)
Project Success Ministries (job training and placement)
Vocational Resources, Inc. (employment assistance to those with physical or mental disabilities)
Workforce Investment Services
Workshops, Inc. (training, job placement, and supportive employment for disabled)
World of Opportunity (job training, GED)

Day Care

Birmingham Health Care
Birmingham City Schools – Even Start Program
Pathways
YWCA Day Care for Homeless Children (day care, after school program for children of homeless persons)

Transportation

American Cancer Society (cancer patients)
Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc. (HIV+/AIDS persons)
Birmingham Health Care (transportation to clinic for medical appointments)
Kid One Transport System (children and expectant mothers)
Travelers Aid Society (transportation to medical appointments)

General Supportive Services

Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Homeless Veterans Program
Gateway
Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority
Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity – JCCEO
Jefferson County Department of Human Resources

GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Alabama Crime Victims Compensation Commission
Alabama State Vocational Rehabilitation Service
ALL Kids (health insurance for children ages 18 and under)
American Red Cross – Birmingham Chapter
Baptist Montclair Medical Center
Baptist Princeton Medical Center
Birmingham Bar Association – Lawyer Referral Service
Birmingham City Schools
Birmingham Jefferson County Transit Authority
Birmingham City Police Department
Carraway Methodist Medical Center
Children’s Hospital
City Action Partnership – CAPS
Department of Veterans Affairs, Alabama State
Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center
Disability Determination Service
Greater Birmingham Fair Housing Center
Jefferson County AIDS in Minorities
Jefferson County Department of Health

Jefferson County Department of Human Resources
Legal Aid Society of Birmingham
Medical Center East, Inc.
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People – NAACP
St. Vincent’s Hospital
Social Security Administration – Jefferson County
UAB University Hospital
United States Department of Housing and Urban Development
United Way Information and Referral Center

ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF SERVICE PROVIDERS

A

Adolescent Health Center

Contact Person: Marsha Sturdevant, M.D.

Children's Hospital

1600 5th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 939-9141

Fax: 558-2071

Comprehensive adolescent health care. Teen Tot clinic for teen mothers with children.

Adult Education Program

Contact Person: Rev. Albert Hyche

901 9th Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35204

Phone: 231-4600

Fax: 231-2365

Basic job skills instruction for persons ages 16 and over not enrolled in public schools. Career development, GED tutoring, and high school diplomas, computer skills, job readiness. Adult Learning Center 231-2309; McCoy Learning Center 250-0167.

AIDS Alabama

Contact Person: Kathie M. Hiers

P.O. Box 55703

3521 7th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 324-9822

Fax: 324-9311

Transitional and permanent housing, housing assistance, and referrals, rental and utility bill assistance, case management, substance abuse treatment, and outreach program. Mental health services including day rehabilitation and adult services. Availability limited to people HIV+ and in financial need.

Beds: 120

Alabama Crime Victims Compensation Program

Contact Person: Martin Ramsay

P.O. Box 1548

Montgomery, AL 36102

Phone: (334) 242-4007

Fax: (334) 353-1401

Toll Free: 800-541-9388

Financial assistance and compensation to victims of violent crimes.

Alabama Employment Security Office – Birmingham One-Stop Career Center

Contact Person: Yvette Fields

3440 Third Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 254-1300

Fax: 325-5960

Job placement and referral, job counseling, food stamp work registration. Ages 16 years and over.

Alabama Goodwill Industries, Inc.

Contact Person: Don Smith

2350 Green Springs Highway

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 323-6331

Fax: 324-9059

Vocational rehabilitation, training, supportive employment, and job placement for disabled and disadvantaged, ages 16 years and over.

Alabama State Vocational Rehabilitation Services

Contact Person: James Donald

236 Goodwin Crest Drive

Birmingham, AL 35219

Phone: 290-4400

Fax: 290-0486 Toll Free: 800-671-6387

Vocational training, planning, and support services to enable the physically and mentally disabled to live independently.

Al-Anon and Al-Ateen

P.O. Box 550156

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 322-1500

Help to friends and family members of alcoholics.

Alabama Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministries

Contact Person: Dr. Louise Green

P.O. Box 362084

Birmingham, AL 35236

Phone: 945-0037

Fax: 945-0031

Counseling services and short term residential housing for single women with children ages 6-18 years.

Beds: Houses up to 4 women and their children, depending on family size.

Alabama Child Caring Foundation

Contact Person: Albert Rohling

P.O. Box 830870

Birmingham, AL 35283

Phone: 220-5929

Fax: 220-5930

Health care for children age 18 and under who are not eligible for Medicaid or ALL Kids and without private insurance. School age children must be enrolled in school to be eligible.

Alabama Head Injury Foundation

Contact Person: Charles Priest

3100 Lorna Road, Suite 226

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 823-3818

Fax: 823-4544

Financial and housing assistance, information and referrals, support groups for those with traumatic brain or spinal cord injuries.

Alabama Lion's Sight Conservation Association

Contact Person: Judith Harvey

700 South 18th Street

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 325-8519

Fax: 325-8564

Eye care for medically indigent Alabamians. Eye exams, glasses, medications, hospitalization, and prosthetics.

Alcoholics Anonymous

2012 14th Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 933-8964

Support group for people who desire to stop drinking.

Aletheia House

Contact Person: Gloria Howard or Chris Retan
P.O. Box 1514
Birmingham, AL 35201
Phone: 324-6502 Fax: 324-7810

Residential substance abuse treatment program for men, women, and women with are pregnant.

Beds: 66 men, 32 women

ALL Kids – Children’s Health Insurance Program

P.O. Box 303017
Montgomery, AL 36130
Phone: 888-373-5437

Low cost health insurance for children 18 and under, whose family incomes are above Medicaid eligibility but less than 200% above the Federal poverty level.

Alpha Recovery House

Contact Person: Melvin Harris
209 50th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35212
Phone: 592-2952

Transitional housing for those coming from treatment programs.

Beds: 10

Amelia Center

Contact Person: Joe McNulty
1513 4th Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35233
Phone: 251-3430 Fax: 251-5146

Individual, group, and family counseling for those who have suffered a loss. Grief and bereavement counseling.

American Cancer Society

Contact Person: David Hutchens
1100 Ireland Way, Suite 300
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 930-8860 Fax: 930-8895

Information, support groups, transportation assistance, financial assistance for medical prescriptions and supplies available to the homeless cancer patient.

American Red Cross – Birmingham Chapter

Contact Person: Billy Baxter
950 22nd Street North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 458-8282 Fax: 458-8284

Services and support to help people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies and natural disasters.

American Red Cross – Project SHARE

Contact Person: Jean Petties

950 22nd Street North
Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 458-8282 Fax: 458-8284

Emergency assistance for utility bills to elderly or disabled head of households on a fixed income.

ARC of Jefferson County

Contact Person: William Hoehle, II, Ph.D.

215 21st Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 323-6383 Fax: 323-0085

Physical, social, vocational, and adaptive living programs for adults ages 21 and over, with mental retardation. Sheltered and supportive employment opportunities.

ARC of Jefferson County – Residential Program

Contact Person: Marriette Horschel and Mike Miller

215 21st Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 323-6383 ext. 120 Fax: 323-0085

Residential supportive housing for adults ages 21 and over with mental retardation.

Beds: 141

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Baptist Church of the Covenant

Contact Person: John Duke

2117 University Boulevard
Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 328-0644 Fax: 328-6060

Sack lunches distributed to the homeless, Sunday at noon in the parking lot next to St. Andrews Episcopal Church. Tutoring in English as a second language offered on Monday.

Baptist Montclair Medical Center

800 Montclair Road
Birmingham, AL 35213

Phone: 592-1200 Fax: 592-6060

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

Baptist Princeton Medical Center

701 Princeton Avenue
Birmingham, AL 35211

Phone: 783-3805 Fax: 783-3758

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

Beacon House

Contact Person: Kathy Tanner

P.O. Box 852
Jasper, AL 35502

Phone: 384-4539 Fax: 384-1496

Intermediate to long term group home for adolescents.

Beds: 12

Bessemer Housing Authority

Contact Person: R.M. Jones, Sr.
1515 Fairfax Avenue
Bessemer, AL 35020
Phone: 481-4420 Fax: 481-4430
Public housing assistance for those who qualify under Federal regulations.

Big Oak Ranch Boys Facility

Contact Person: Melissa Robinson
250 Jake Mintz Road
Gadsden, AL 35903
Phone: (256) 892-0773
Long term childcare facility for abused, abandoned, and neglected boys ages 6-17.
Beds: 9 homes housing 8-9 boys.

Big Oak Ranch Girls Facility

Contact Person: Mary Graham
6000 Shelley Drive
Springville, AL 35147
Phone: 467-6226
Long term childcare facility for abused, abandoned, and neglected girls ages 6-17.
Beds: 7 homes housing 8-9 girls.

Birmingham AIDS Outreach, Inc.

Contact Person: Polly Kellar
P.O. Box 550070
Birmingham, AL 35255
Phone: 322-4197 Fax: 322-2131
Provides a food pantry and clothes closet, support groups and counseling, transportation services, and emergency financial assistance for people HIV+ or with AIDS.

Birmingham Bar Association – Lawyer Referral Service

Contact Person: Beth Carmichael
2021 2nd Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 251-8006 Fax: 251-7193
Lawyer referral service for Jefferson County area.

Birmingham Building Trade Towers

Contact Person: Janice Cleckler
2021 10th Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 933-6005 Fax: 933-6082
Housing for senior citizens 55+ years old or receiving disability.

Birmingham City Schools

Contact Person: Wayman Shiver, Jr., Ph.D
2015 Park Place North
Birmingham, AL 35202
Phone: 231-4600
Public schools for Birmingham resident school children, grades K-12.

Birmingham Health Care

Contact Person: Patricia Osborn

712 25th Street North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 323-5311

Fax: 458-3383

Multi-faceted organization, open to everyone regardless of ability to pay, providing medical, dental, and mental health services, as well as substance abuse treatment and counseling, HIV/AIDS prevention and education, transportation, transitional housing, and childcare services.

Birmingham Health Care – Northside Dental Clinic

Contact Person: Dwight Williams, DMD

1333 19th Street North

Birmingham, AL 35324

Phone: 322-8288

Emergency, primary, and preventative dental services for underserved low income, homeless, and indigent persons.

Birmingham Housing Authority (Housing Authority Birmingham District or HABD)

Contact Person: Ralph Ruggs

1826 3rd Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 521-0652

Section 8 housing assistance, housing counseling, family self-sufficiency program.

Birmingham Hospitality Network

Contact Person: Rana Cowan

P.O. Box 531233

Birmingham, AL 35253

Phone: 918-0246

Fax: 918-0246

Temporary emergency shelter for homeless families provided by a network of congregations. Families defined as; husband and wife with children, man with children. Single woman with children only if they have a male child 10 years of age or older. Case management services.

Beds: 14

Birmingham Independent Living Center

Contact Person: Caroline Agee

206 13th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 251-2223

Housing referral for the disabled. Care support, skills training, and advocacy program.

Birmingham Jefferson County Transit Authority

Contact Person: Mark Stanley

1735 Morris Avenue

Birmingham, AL 35202

Phone: 521-0161

Fax: 252-7633

Provides mass public transit in Birmingham and Jefferson County. Curb to curb on demand transportation services provided to the elderly and disabled.

Birmingham Police Department

Contact Person: Annetta Nunn, Chief of Police

1710 1st Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 254-1700

Fax: 254-1703

Emergency: 911

Law enforcement within the city limits of Birmingham.

Birmingham Towers

Contact Person: Lucita Ard
2712 31st Avenue North
Birmingham, AL
Phone: 322-0728
Housing for elderly, handicapped, or disabled. Rent is 30% of adjusted income.

Birmingham Urban League, Inc.

Contact Person: Elaine Jackson
1229 3rd Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 326-0162 Fax: 521-6951
Job training in computer and office skills, adult literacy and GED tutoring, youth tutoring, housing counseling. Serves all racial and ethnic groups with an emphasis on the urban poor and African Americans.

Body of Christ Deliverance Ministry, Inc.

Contact Person: Janet Bush
900 39th Street North
Birmingham, AL 35222
Phone: 595-2762
Food pantry and clothes closet.

Bridge Ministries Inc.

Contact Person: Lisa Isay
1016 19th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 930-0309 Fax: 930-3175
One-time emergency assistance with utility and rent bills, food and clothing assistance, case management.

Brother Bryan Mission

Contact Person: Linda Hartley
1616 2nd Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 322-0092 Fax: 322-7820
Long term shelter for homeless men. Narcotics Anonymous and Alcoholic Anonymous meetings held at shelter.
Beds: 66

C**Cahaba Valley Health Care**

Contact Person: Edwina Taylor
5099 Caldwell Mill Road
Birmingham, AL 35242
Phone: 991-8771 Fax: 991-7762
Provides access to health care for Hispanic people through vision and dental screenings and referral services. Residents of Jefferson and Shelby Counties.

Cancer Answers

Contact Person: Daphne Hoyt, R.N.
2001 3rd Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35294
Phone: 975-8222 Toll Free: 800-822-0933
Toll free cancer information and referral service staffed by registered nurses with oncology experience.

Carraway Methodist Medical Center

Contact Person: Cathy Fickes, CEO

1600 Carraway Boulevard

Birmingham, AL 35234

Phone: 502-6000

Fax: 502-5720

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

Cathedral Church of the Advent

Contact Person: Carol Williams

2017 6th Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 251-2324

Sack lunch available Tuesday 8:30am-9:30am.

Catholic Center of Concern

Contact Person: Sister Adelangela Paita

712 4th Court West

Birmingham, AL 35204

Phone: 786-4388

Emergency assistance provided to those in need. Food pantry, clothes closet, and limited financial assistance.

Catholic Family Services

Contact Person: Tom Cook

2164 11th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 324-6561

Fax: 323-0475

Individual and family counseling. Grief, anxiety, and depression counseling. Unplanned pregnancy counseling, adoption service, and foster care. Case management services for Spanish immigrants.

Children's Aid Society

Contact Person: Melissa Bunch

181 West Valley Avenue, Suite 300

Homewood, AL 35209

Phone: 251-7148

Fax: 252-3828

Adoption services, counseling, and education for teen parents. Education and support for adoptive parents and professionals. Family intervention program, counseling, and support for at-risk families. Residential mentor program to aid homeless teen parents to live independently. Grandparent family services support and education for grandparents parenting children.

Children's Harbor, The Family Center at the Children's Hospital

Contact Person: Jim Ray

1600 6th Avenue South, Suite 200

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 939-6123

Fax: 939-6313

Counseling services for chronically ill children and their families.

Children's Hospital

Contact Person: Eleanor Barnes

1600 Seventh Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 939-9100

Fax: 939-9189

Full service children's hospital and medical facility for inpatient and outpatient diagnosis and treatment.

Children's Rehabilitation Service

Contact Person: Randy Hebson

235 Goodwin Crest Drive

Birmingham, AL 35209

Phone: 290-4550

Fax: 290-4560

Medical assistance for children with physical impairment or disability, ages newborn to 21 years of age.

Sliding scale of fees determined by income, disability, and family size.

Children's Village

Contact Person: Sonya Williams

P.O. Box 110501

Birmingham, AL 35211

Phone: 925-0074

Fax: 925-1118

Residential facility for boys and girls ages 6-12 years who are the victims of neglect or abuse.

Beds: 18

Christian Service Mission

Contact Person: Rhonda Marshall

3600 3rd Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 252-9906

Fax: 251-6583

Emergency assistance to those referred by another agency. Food pantry and household items.

Church of the Reconciler

Contact Person: Rev. Lawton Higgs

112 14th Street North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 324-6402

Day shelter services Tuesday-Friday from 9 am – noon. Clothes closet, faith-based drug and alcohol recovery group. Soup kitchen provides breakfast and snacks Tuesday – Friday at 9:30 am, lunch Sunday at noon.

City Action Partnership - CAPS

1801 3rd Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 251-0111

General assistance to those in downtown Birmingham, including security patrols and escort to vehicles, directions, and motorists assistance.

Collat Jewish Family Services

Contact Person: Esther Schuster, L.C.S.W.

3940 Montclair Road, Suite 205

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 879-3438

Fax: 871-5939

Providing emergency assistance for members of the Jewish community. Emergency financial assistance, counseling, food pantry, services to the elderly, and tutoring for English as a second language.

Community Kitchens of Birmingham - Grace Episcopal Church

Contact Person: Marsha Green

5712 1st Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35212

Phone: 251-3569

Fax: 251-3589

Soup kitchen provides lunch 7 days a week at noon. 120 lunches served daily.

Community Kitchens of Birmingham - St. Andrews Episcopal Church

Contact Person: Marsha Green

1024 12th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 251-3569

Fax: 251-3589

Soup kitchen provides lunch 7 days a week at 1 pm. 80-100 lunches daily.

Cooper Green Hospital

Contact Person: Sandral Hullett, M.D.

1515 6th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 930-3600

Fax: 930-3497

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment. Fees on a sliding scale determined by income and family size. Care provided to residents of Jefferson County regardless of ability to pay.

Crisis Center

Contact Person: Michael Falligant

3600 8th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 323-7782

Counseling Line: 323-7777

Telephone hotline for crisis intervention for and counseling, information, and referrals. Suicide prevention, sexual assault victims, grief and bereavement, teen counseling.

D

Department of Veterans Affairs – Alabama State

Contact Person: Robert Herndon

809 Green Springs Highway, Suite 100

Birmingham, AL 35209

Phone: 916-2700

Assists veterans and their families in filing claims for benefits from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs or one of the branches of the military. Referrals to other agencies provided as needed.

Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Homeless Veterans Program

Contact Person: Rene Elliot

700 19th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 933-8101 ext. 6757

Fax: 933-4497

Individual and family counseling, case management, crisis intervention, substance abuse and mental health treatment. Day treatment provided at VA, vouchers provided for local shelters and housing. Transitional housing provided as part of a compensated work therapy program.

Beds: 45-50 beds, plus 12 beds in transitional housing.

Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center

Contact Person: Jerry Satterwhite

700 19th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 933-8101

Fax: 933-4497

Medical services for entitled veterans.

Disability Determination Service

Contact Person: Jim Methvin

P.O. Box 830300

Birmingham, AL 35283-0300

Phone: 989-2100

Fax: 989-2295

Toll Free: 800-292-8106

Determines medical eligibility on disability applications as specified by Social Security Administration federal regulations.

E**Eastern Area Christian Ministries**

Contact Person: Sarah Fechter

8000 2nd Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35206

Phone: 836-9932

Food assistance to families in crisis. Social security card and proof of residency in an eastern community of Birmingham required.

Eastside Mental Health Center

Contact Person: Beverly Francis, LCSW

129 East Park Circle

Birmingham, AL 35235

Phone: 836-7283

Fax: 836-9594

Outpatient and emergency psychiatric care for adults and children. Mental health consultation, education, and referral services. Day treatment program for mentally ill adults.

Emani New Life Recovery Program

Contact Person: Trevor Patterson

631 3rd Street SW

Birmingham, AL 35211

Phone: 326-0970

Fax: 322-4302

Three month outpatient recovery program for substance abuse. Morning program on Tuesday and Thursday 10 am-noon; evening program Tuesday and Thursday 6:30-8:30 pm. \$10 per week fee. Fee waived for the indigent.

Episcopal Place

Contact Person: Jill Hoogstra

1100 and 1112 26th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 939-0085

Fax: 939-0101

Housing for low income older adults, 62 years of age or older, or people who are deaf or mobility impaired. Rent is 30% of adjusted gross income.

F**Fairfield Alabama Housing Authority**

Contact Person: Angela Thomas, Executive Director

6704 Avenue D

Fairfield, AL 35064

Phone: 923-8017

Fax: 923-5574

Section 8 and public housing assistance for low income families, single parents with children, single persons on disability, or the elderly.

Family Guidance Center

Contact Person: Deborah Thomas
234 Aquarius Drive, Suite 118-122
Birmingham, AL 35209

Phone: 945-6000 Fax: 945-6022

The Family Advocacy Program assists families and/or individuals in identifying goals, determine action plans, and evaluate their progress towards the goals set. Contact Deborah Thomas, 945-6000 ext. 231. The Counseling Program offers counseling service to adults, couples, children, and adolescents. Contact Amy Hulsey, counseling coordinator, 945-6000 ext. 228.

Fellowship House

Contact Person: Beth Bachelor
1625 12th Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 933-2430

Residential substance abuse treatment program for adult men and women. Long term residential services for persons with a psychiatric and substance abuse diagnosis.

Beds: 72

Firehouse Shelter

Contact Person: Steve Freeman
1501 3rd Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35202
Phone: 252-9571 Fax: 252-9578

Men's emergency shelter, day shelter, transitional housing, soup kitchen; substance abuse programs; clothing and shoes; transportation, street outreach, case management services. Safe Haven provides housing for seriously mentally ill. Soup kitchen provides lunch 7 days a week from 11:45 am – 12:30 pm, serving up to 200 lunches daily.

Beds: 50 emergency, 55 transition, 24 at Safe Haven.

First Light, Inc.

Contact Person: Rachael Cabiness
2230 4th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 323-4277 Fax: 323-8362

Emergency shelter for homeless women and women with children. Permanent supportive housing for disabled or mentally ill women. Case management and counseling.

Beds: 36 emergency shelter, 8 permanent supportive housing.

Foundry Rescue Mission and Recovery Center

Contact Person: Jimbo Tillman
1816 6th Avenue North
Bessemer, AL 35021
Phone: 428-8449 Fax: 428-6999

Christ-centered residential and recovery program for alcohol and drug abuse. Community food pantry.

Beds: 90 men 38 women

Freedom Ranch

Contact Person: Patricia Adams
1245 Rogers Road
Oneonta, AL 35121
Phone: 625-6691

Short or long term residential facility for boys and girls ages 6-18 years.

Beds: 12 boys and 12 girls.

Futures, Inc.

Contact Person: Roderick Stevenson

1912 Avenue G

Birmingham, AL 35218

Phone: 781-4411

Fax: 781-4412

Educational services for homeless and at-risk youth ages 16-23 years. Life skills training, vocational training and career planning, and GED tutoring. Violence and drug abuse prevention and intervention.

G

Gambler's Anonymous

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 824-2473

Support and assistance for people who have an addiction to gambling and desire to stop gambling.

Gateway

Contact Person: Jim Loop or Katherine Ross

1401 20th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 510-2600

Fax: 510-2621

Multi-service agency for at risk families and youth. Services include family counseling, debt counseling and consolidation, domestic violence intervention and prevention. Residential therapeutic foster care transitional living program for children and young adults. Sliding fee scale based on family income.

Glenwood Mental Health Services, Inc.

Contact Person: Anna Abbott

150 Glenwood Lane

Birmingham, AL 35242

Phone: 969-2880

Fax: 967-1323

Treatment and educational services for emotionally disturbed individuals. Day and residential programs for adults. Residential and educational programs for children ages 6-17. Sliding fee scale based on family income.

Grace Episcopal Church

Contact Person: Rev. James W. Williams

5712 First Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35212

Phone: 595-4636

Food pantry on Tuesday 9 am - noon. Emergency financial assistance and counseling.

Grace House Ministries, Inc.

Contact Person: Jennifer Parker

P.O. Box 547

Fairfield, AL 35064

Phone: 786-4663

Fax: 780-0750

Group home for girls, ages 6-16 years, who have been abandoned or are victims of abuse.

Beds: 16

Greater Birmingham Fair Housing Center

Contact Person: Lila Hackett
2000 1st Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 324-0111 Fax: 320-0238
Fair housing education and investigation of housing discrimination.

Greater Birmingham Ministries

Contact Person: Sarah Price
2304 12th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35234
Phone: 326-6821 Fax: 252-8458
Emergency assistance provided for those in need. Food pantry, clothes closet, emergency financial assistance, pro bono legal assistance, referrals to other agencies.

Grief and Loss Support Services

Contact Person: Jeanette Wyrick
810 St. Vincent's Drive
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 939-7023 Fax: 930-2253
Support group, education, and referral services for bereaved persons.

H

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Birmingham

Contact Person: Ernestine Smiley
P.O. Box 540
Fairfield, AL 35064
Phone: 780-1234 Fax: 780-1800
Builds affordable homes in partnership with low income families and local communities. Homeownership counseling, debt counseling, budgeting education, home ownership assistance, and home repairs.

Hannah Homes

Contact Person: Liz Sherrell
P.O. Box 162
Chelsea, AL 35043
Phone: 678-8331 ext 223 Fax: 678-7273
Shelter for women with children.
Beds: 50

Hannah Bethany Home

Contact Person: Merrel Stringer
1615 Cullom Street South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 930-0144 Fax: 930-0144
Provide a Christ-centered shelter for homeless and abused women ages 18 years and older.
Beds: 9

Helpline Christian Outreach Ministries, Inc.

Contact Person: Christine Kirkley

8 Roebuck Drive

Birmingham, AL 35215

Phone: 833-7712

Fax: 833-7703

Financial assistance provided once a year to help with paying rent and utility bills. Food assistance is available once a month through a food co-op program, providing food at discounted prices.

Highland United Methodist Church

Contact Person: Frances Owens

1045 South 20th Street

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 933-8751

Soup kitchen open for continental breakfast Monday–Saturday, 9 am–10 am serving 80–120 persons.

Clothes closet. ID service for those referred by another agency.

Breakfast M-F 9-10

Hope House

Contact Person: Marilyn Jones

1323 7th Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 252-4673

Assistance provided to young adults ages 21 and under who are runaways, homeless, or experiencing problems in their lives. Services include: day shelter, GED tutoring, vocational training, crisis counseling, and clothes closet. Outreach program consisting of a “Hope Mobile” to reach the young homeless.

I

Independent Presbyterian Church

Contact Person: Rev. Susan Clayton

3100 Highland Avenue

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 933-1830

Fax: 933-1836

Emergency assistance with utility bills and medical prescriptions Food pantry and clothes closet.

Interfaith Hospitality House for Families

Contact Person: Betty Perry, MSW

5704 1st Avenue North

Birmingham, AL 35212

Phone: 591-4302

Fax: 591-4194

Emergency and short term transitional housing for families with minor children. Single woman with children only if they have a male child 10 years of age or older. Interview required for admission. Food boxes for families with minor children if all information (address, photo id, and social security cards for all family members) is provided.

Beds: 4 families

J

Jefferson-Blount-St. Clair Mental Health/Mental Retardation Authority

Contact Person: Lisa Turley

940 Montclair Road

Birmingham, AL 35213

Phone: 595-4555

Community outreach for seriously mentally ill and/or mentally retarded homeless adults. Case management, life skills training, residential care.

Beds: mental retardation - 53; mental illness – 90

Jefferson County AIDS in Minorities

Contact Person: Tony Morris or Kristal Thompson

1925 Bessemer Road

Birmingham, AL 35201

Phone: 781-1654

Fax: 781-1655

Support services for HIV+ persons and their families. Individual counseling and substance abuse counseling. Community and school educational and outreach programs.

Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity – JCCEO

Contact Person: Gayle Cunningham

300 8th Avenue West

Birmingham, AL 35204

Phone: 327-7500

Fax: 326-4179

Social services to meet the needs of low income individuals at the community level. Services include child care and family assistance, Head Start program for children, job training and placement for new parents, substance abuse prevention and outpatient treatment, low income assistance with utility bills, family development and self-sufficiency training.

Jefferson County Department of Health

Contact Person: Michael Fleenor, M.D., M.P.H.

1400 6th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 933-9110

Fax: 930-0243

General health services for all ages. Fees on a sliding scale based on income.

Jefferson County Department of Human Resources

Contact Person: Caro Shanahan

1321 5th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35202

Phone: 918-5100

Fax: 918-3502

Assistance to persons in Jefferson County through social services or direct money payments. Emergency welfare services, food stamps, Medicaid, child protective services, and aid to refugees.

Jefferson County Housing Authority

Contact Person: Solonia Mack

3700 Industrial Pkwy

Birmingham, AL 35217

Phone: 849-0123 ext. 1314

Rental assistance, Section 8 housing, public housing, housing and home ownership counseling. Shelter Plus Care program offers permanent *supportive* housing for homeless people dually diagnosed with substance abuse, HIV/AIDS, and/or mentally ill.

Beds: 150

Jimmie Hale Mission – Brother Leo’s Men’s Center

Contact Person: Gregory Strewsbury
2330 2nd Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 324-2271

Emergency shelter for homeless men ages 18 and over. Soup kitchen is open to men and women and serves 300-350 meals each day, 7 days a week, dinner at 4:45 pm and 5:30 pm. Provides household items and clothes closet to families in need. Stewart Learning Center provides career education, planning, and job search skills. Christ-centered drug and alcohol recovery program.
Beds: 125

Jimmie Hale Mission – Jessie’s Place

Contact Person: Dr. Malissa Smitha
2305 5th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 323-0170

Emergency shelter for women ages 19 and over, and their children. Boys ages 10 years and under.
Beds: 30

Jimmie Hale Mission – Royal Pines

Contact Person: Ron North
5 Guinns Cove Road
Hayden, AL 35079
Phone: (256) 352-9444 Fax: (256) 352-9738
Residential drug and alcohol abuse recovery Program.
Beds: 28

Jobs Corps/DESI

Contact Person: Eudessa Reese
310 18th Street North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 327-5040 Fax: 327-5448 Toll Free: 800-323-8381
GED, job skills training, and job placement services for persons ages 16-24 years who are out of school, unemployed, and fall within poverty level guidelines.

John Jr.’s Serenity House

Contact Person: Stan Wills
300 6th Street SW
Birmingham, AL 35211
Phone: 781-3079
Transitional housing for those coming from treatment programs.
Beds: 10

K

Kid One Transport System

Contact Person: Tracy Smith
P.O. Box 360943
Birmingham, AL 35236
Phone: 978-1000 Toll Free: (800) 543-7143
Transportation to non-emergency medical appointments for children and expectant mothers who lack any means of transportation.

King's Ranch

Contact Person: Liz Sherrell

P.O. Box 162

Chelsea, AL 35043

Phone: 678-8331 ext 223 Fax: 678-7273

Residential group home for abused, neglected, and abandoned children ages 10–18 years.

Beds: 45

L**Legal Aid Society of Birmingham**

Contact Person: Martha Jane Patton

2027 1st Avenue North, Suite 1004

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 251-3516 Fax: 328-4905

Provides legal representation and services to indigent clients as appointed by the court.

M**M-Power Medical Clinic**

Contact Person: Ryan Hankins

4022 4th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 595-5959 General Information: 592-8118

General medical care for the homeless and indigent, regardless of ability to pay. Walk-ins accepted Tuesday–Thursday 4:30 pm–7:30 pm.

Mary's House

Contact Person: Shelley Douglass

2107 Avenue G

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 780-2020

Emergency shelter for families with children. Single woman with children only if they have a male child 10 years of age or older.

Beds: 3 rooms which can accommodate a total of 2–3 families.

Medical Center East, Inc.

Contact Person: George McGowan

50 Medical Park East Drive

Birmingham, AL 35235

Phone: 838-3000 Fax: 838-3326

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

Mental Health Association of Central Alabama

Contact Person: Jeff Baxter

2929 Clairmont Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 933-9393 Fax: 933-1982

Day rehabilitation program for mentally ill people ages 19 and over. Life skills education, vocational training, GED tutoring, supportive employment, support group for depression or bipolar disorder.

Metro West Ministries

Contact Person: Alfred Rose
P.O. Box 46
Fairfield, AL 35064
Phone: 785-5900

Food pantry available to all individuals. Financial counseling, education, and assistance available to those living in the western Birmingham metro area willing to work towards financial independence.

N

Narcotics Anonymous

P.O. Box 329463
Birmingham, AL 35232
Phone: 941-2655 Toll Free: 800-467-7314

A group support system to aid individuals who desire to stop using drugs.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

Contact Person: Hezekiah Jackson
P.O. Box 1268
Birmingham, AL 35201
Phone: 849-9676

Organization serving to protect the rights of individuals to fair and equitable housing, employment, education, and voting rights. Investigation of discrimination.

Neighborhood House

Contact Person: Bill Darling
5001 1st Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35212
Phone: 591-6540
Transitional housing for men and women. Life skills classes and counseling.
Beds: 48

New Covenant Bible Church

Contact Person: Larry Lewis
809 10th Street SW
Birmingham, AL 35211
Phone: 785-5224
Financial counseling.

New Pilgrim Towers

Contact Person: Samuel Robinson
3416 7th Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35222
Phone: 323-3940 Fax: 328-2283
Housing for elderly, 62+ years of age, or mobility impaired. Rent based on 30% of adjusted income.

O

Oakmont Center for Human Services

Contact Person: Jerome Porterfield

2008 21st Street, Ensley

Birmingham, AL 35218

Phone: 787-7100 Fax: 787-6401

Alcohol and drug abuse outpatient treatment, education, and prevention. Anger management programs. Ages 19 and older.

Oasis: A Women's Counseling Center

Contact Person: Kristie McCullough

1900 14th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 933-0338 Fax: 933-0343

Counseling services for women, couples, and families.

Olivia's House

Contact Person: Kelly Driver

2101 Daniel Payne Dr.

Birmingham, AL 35214

Phone: 791-2042

Residential drug and alcohol rehabilitation program for women and up to 3 dependents. Women must be 16 years of age and older; children up to 10 years old. Fees on a sliding scale.

Beds: 30

Outreach, Inc.

Contact Person: Frank Dominick

118 55th Street

Birmingham, AL 35212

Phone: 592-2311 Fax: 592-2312

Build and renovate housing for low-income families.

P

Pathways

Contact Person: Deisha Rosser

409 N. Richard Arrington Jr. Blvd.

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 322-6854 Fax: 322-7402

Day and transitional shelter and supportive services for homeless women and women with children. Employment readiness training for women with child care services provided during training sessions.

Beds: 54 transitional; 14 apartments each housing a woman and up to 2 children.

Pearson Hall

Contact Person: Debra Jibra

2701 Jefferson Avenue SW

Birmingham, AL 35211

Phone: 923-6552

Short term residential facility for detoxification, crisis stabilization, and substance abuse treatment. Fees on a sliding scale.

Beds: Men – 32; Women – 16

Planned Parenthood of Alabama

Contact Person: Larry Rodick
1211 27th Place South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 322-2121 Fax: 322-2162
Reproductive health services including education, counseling, birth control, pregnancy testing, and contraceptives.

Presbyterian Manor

Contact Person: Mary Kimbough
926 Overton Avenue
Birmingham, AL 35217
Phone: 841-0682 Fax: 841-0602
Subsidized housing for low income elderly or physically handicapped people.

Princeton Towers

Contact Person: Brenda Johnson
909 Princeton Avenue S.W.
Birmingham, AL 35211
Phone: 783-3291 Fax: 781-7812
Subsidized housing for low income elderly or physically handicapped people.

Project Success Ministries

Contact Person: Frances Wilson
3228 12th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35243
Phone: 252-3165 Fax: 252-5244
Assistance to low income and homeless persons including assistance with rent, mortgage, and utility bills, prescription medications, counseling, job training and placement, and a food pantry.

Q

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S

Safe House of Shelby County, Inc.

Contact Person: Rachael Behrman
P.O. Box 574
Pelham, AL 35124
Phone: 664-5930 Fax: 664-4747
Assistance to victims of domestic and sexual abuse. Shelter, counseling, therapeutic child care for pre-school age children, legal advocacy, and day care services.
Beds: 30

St. Andrew's Place

Contact Person: Marvin Clemons
1024 12th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 322-4439 Fax: 322-4467

Intermediate supportive housing, care, and training to prepare mentally handicapped adults, ages 18 years and older, for more independent living arrangements.
Beds: 32

St. Anne's Home, Inc.

Contact Person: Amy Dunn
2772 Hanover Circle
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 933-2402 Fax: 933-2479

Treatment and residential care for women recovering from substance dependence.
Beds: 18

St. Vincent's Hospital

Contact Person: Liz Moore
810 St. Vincent's Drive
Birmingham, AL 35202
Phone: 939-7000

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center

Contact Person: Major Tim Grider
1401 F.L. Shuttlesworth Drive
Birmingham, AL 35234
Phone: 252-8151 Fax: 252-8173

Residential substance abuse rehabilitation program for men ages 21 or older. No fee for homeless or indigent persons.
Beds: 111

Salvation Army – Bessemer

Contact Person: Capt. Bert Lind
1309 6th Avenue North
Bessemer, AL 35020
Phone: 425-4303 Fax: 428-0481

Provides assistance for needy families including; rent and utility bills, food, clothing, and medical prescriptions.

Salvation Army – Birmingham

Contact Person: John Stamps
2130 11th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35243
Phone: 328-5656 Fax: 328-9911

Emergency shelter for men, women, and children. Transitional housing for homeless families. Domestic violence shelter. Assistance with financial needs, counseling, food pantry and clothes closet. Soup kitchen serves 150 lunches daily, Monday–Friday 11:30 am–12:30 pm.
Beds: 108 men, 45 women and women with children, 36 transitional housing.

Salvation Army - Shelby County Corps

Contact Person: Capt. 's Kevin and Rita Strickland
8561 Hwy 119 South
Alabaster, AL 35007
Phone: 663-7105 Fax: 663-9190

Assistance with overdue rent and utility bills, prescription medications, food pantry, and clothes closet.
Provides referrals to other agencies.

Salvation Army Youth Emergency Services

Contact Person: Rodney Hawkins
6001 Crestwood Boulevard
Birmingham, AL 35212
Phone: 595-1983

Residential shelter and therapeutic program for adolescents, ages 12-21 years, in crisis. Individual counseling and group activities, educational program, and independent living program.
Beds: 35

Sickle Cell Disease Association of America – Central Alabama Chapter

Contact Person: Sharon Lewis
3813 Avenue I, Ensley
Birmingham, AL 35218
Phone: 780-2355 Fax: 780-2368

Education, counseling and support groups, testing services, and financial assistance in purchasing prescribed medications and equipment necessary to treat sickle cell.

Social Security Administration – Jefferson County

Contact Person: Harry Hancock
2001 12th Avenue North
Birmingham, AL 35203
Phone: 800-772-1213 Fax: 801-2006

Medicare health insurance, Social Security benefits for retired or disabled persons and their dependents. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) for those who meet eligibility requirements.

Sonrise Health Ministries

Contact Person: Karen Murphy
4660 Caldwell Mill Road
Birmingham, AL 35243
Phone: 967-8302 Fax: 968-3740

Assistance with medical prescriptions, medical supplies, and medical equipment provided to low income seniors and the disabled who are with out Medicare or private health insurance.

Southeastern Blind Rehabilitation Center – VA Hospital

Contact Person: George Sands
VA Medical Center
700 South 19th Street
Birmingham, AL 35233
Phone: 933-8101 ext. 6995 Fax: 558-7060
Inpatient rehabilitation services to blinded veterans.

Southside Baptist Church

Contact Person: Timothy Kelly
1016 19th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 933-8381 Fax: 933-7774

Clothes closet and food pantry open Tuesday 8:30 am–10:00 am to residents of the 35205 zip code area.

Steps and Traditions

Contact Person: Sam Smith
1945 Warrior Road
Birmingham, AL 35208
Phone: 785-2103
Recovery house for men.
Beds: 50

T**Tarrant Housing Authority**

Contact Person: Katherine Jones
624 Bell Avenue
Birmingham, AL 35217
Phone: 841-2270 Fax: 841-2226
Public and Section 8 housing for low to moderate income residents.

Titusville Development Corporation

Contact Person: Roger White
300 Kappa Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35205
Phone: 252-5526
Housing assistance for low income families and one bedroom apartments for senior citizens and the handi-capped.

Traveler's Aid Society

Contact Person: Mollie Hester
3600 8th Avenue South
Suite 110W
Birmingham, AL 35222
Phone: 322-5426
Emergency assistance for homeless or displaced persons. Information and referral, counseling, medical transportation assistance.

U**UAB Comprehensive Community Mental Health Center**

Contact Person: Sheila Eiland
908 20th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35233
Phone: 934-4108 ACCESS number: 934-7008
Day treatment for adults. Evaluation, stabilization on medication therapy. Patient and family education. Referrals to substance abuse services. Charity care based on income for indigent patients.

UAB Healthfinder

2001 3rd Avenue South, Suite 205
Birmingham, AL 35294
Phone: 934-9999 Toll Free: 800-822-8816
Toll free information and referral service to UAB physicians and health professional services.

UAB Substance Abuse Program

Contact Person: Suzanne Muir

401 West Beacon Parkway

CCB 4th floor, 2050

Birmingham, AL 35209

Phone: 917-3784

Fax: 917-3721

Intensive outpatient treatment for individuals with substance abuse problems. Individual and family therapy, group counseling, methadone treatment. Fees on a sliding scale matched to income.

UAB University Hospital

Contact Person: Leanne Dunkin

625 19th Street South

Birmingham, AL 35233

Phone: 934-4011

Fax: 975-6572

Full service inpatient and outpatient medical diagnosis and treatment.

United Methodist Children's Home

Contact Person: Mike Galloway

1712 Broad Street

Selma, AL 36701

Phone: (334) 875-7283

Fax: (334) 875-5161

Residential group homes for children who are abused, neglected, or who have behavioral problems.

Beds: 10

United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Contact Person: Cindy Yarbrough

950 22nd Street North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 731-2630

Fax: 731-2593

Housing assistance for low to moderate income individuals and families. Mortgage and loan insurance, rent supplements.

United Way Information and Referral Center

Contact Person: Ken Smith

P.O. Box 320189

Birmingham, AL 35232

Phone: 323-0000

Fax: 323-2872

Referral service to link people in need with appropriate agencies and organizations to meet their needs.

Urban Ministry, Inc.

Contact Person: Rev. Tom Duley

1229 Cotton Avenue SW

Birmingham, AL 35211

Phone: 781-0517

Fax: 781-2011

Emergency assistance with medical prescriptions, utility and rent bills, and referrals to other agencies. Food pantry provides 5-7 days of non-perishable food. Soup kitchen serves 80 lunches daily, Monday-Thursdays noon-1 pm.

V

Veterans Resource Center

Contact Person: Rochelle Hudson

1500 5th Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35205

Phone: 731-0550

Fax: 731-0564

Serving veterans and their families; care includes professional readjustment counseling, community education, outreach to special populations, the brokering of services with community agencies and provides a key access link between the veteran and other services in the US Department of Veterans Affairs.

Vocational Resources, Inc.

Contact Person: Mike Galloway

P.O. Box 26382

Birmingham, AL 35260

Phone: 942-4500

Fax: 942-1888

Employment training and placement for persons with physical or mental disabilities.

W

Western Mental Health Center, Inc.

Contact Person: Dr. Tom Hobbes

1701 Avenue D

Birmingham, AL 35218

Phone: 788-7770

Fax: 788-7552

Inpatient and outpatient services for seriously mentally ill adults and children of western Jefferson County. Sliding fee scale based on income and family size.

Workforce Investment Services

Contact Person: Patrick Fletcher

3420 3rd Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 254-3248

Fax: 254-1278

Job training and placement for low income and/or recently unemployed.

Workshops, Inc.

Contact Person: Jim Crim

4244 3rd Avenue South

Birmingham, AL 35222

Phone: 592-9683

Fax: 592-9687

Job training, placement, and supportive employment for persons with physical or mental disabilities ages 16 years and older.

World of Opportunity

Contact Person: Corey Howard or Steve Orel

7429 Georgia Road

Birmingham, AL 35212

Phone: 271-9532

Job training and educational assistance for those pushed out of school or who have not completed high school. GED and literacy tutoring, Spanish and conversational English, preparation instruction for the certified nursing aid's certificate, computer electronics, computer skills, AutoCAD.

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Y

YWCA Day Care for Homeless Children

Contact Person: Dot Allbritton

309 23rd Street North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 322-9922

Day care services and after school program for children of homeless persons.

30 day care slots

YWCA Family Violence Center

Contact Person: Tomeka Robinson

P.O. Box 11865

Birmingham, AL 35202

Phone: 322-9922

Fax: 521-9652

Shelter for victims of domestic violence and abuse; food and nutrition services, referral, assistance in finding housing, day care, support groups, and case management.

Beds: 19

YWCA My Sister's Closet

Contact Person: Brenda McNeil

309 23rd Street North

Birmingham, AL

Phone: 322-9922

Clothes closet for women open Tuesday–Thursday 11 am–2 pm.

YWCA Transitional Housing

Contact Person: Bernetta Cox

309 23rd Street North

Birmingham, AL 35203

Phone: 322-9922

Transitional housing for women and women with children.

Beds: 42